

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:  IOWA JOINT UTILITY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, INC.	DOCKET NO. CGP-01-12
	CERTIFICATE NO. G-0009

**CERTIFICATE TO PROVIDE AGGREGATOR SERVICES**

(Issued October 31, 2001)

On August 30, 2001, Iowa Joint Utility Management, Inc. (IJUMP, Inc.), filed an application for a certificate as a competitive natural gas provider (CNGP) with the Utilities Board (Board). The Board's rules at 199 IAC 2.2(18) and 19.14 establish the filing requirements for the issuance of a certificate. Subrule 19.14(4) states that an applicant will be notified when its application is complete and the 90-day review period begins. On September 10, 2001, the Board notified IJUMP, Inc., that the application was complete and the 90-day review period had begun.

The Board reviewed the information provided by IJUMP, Inc., and is issuing an order concurrently with this certificate approving the application for a certificate as a competitive natural gas provider. IJUMP, Inc., is currently providing service as an aggregator to small volume customers as defined in 199 IAC 19.14(1). This certificate will be limited to aggregator services.

Iowa Code § 476.87 requires that a competitive natural gas provider or aggregator must reasonably demonstrate managerial, technical, and financial

capability sufficient to obtain and deliver the services it proposes to offer. The Board in 199 IAC 2.2(18) and 199 IAC 19.14 established the filing requirements for a CNGP to obtain a certificate. Based on a review of IJUMP, Inc.'s application and the additional information provided, the Board found that IJUMP, Inc., has reasonably demonstrated that it possesses the appropriate managerial, technical, and financial capability sufficient to obtain and deliver the services it proposes to offer. Additionally, the Board found that no additional conditions should be placed on the certificate.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

This certificate as a competitive natural gas provider, issued pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.87 (2001), authorizes Iowa Joint Utility Management Program, Inc., to furnish natural gas services as an aggregator to large and small volume customers in Iowa.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper  
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2001.